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### **Abortion**

#### **Cardiovascular Disease**

[AB 813 – Baca](#) Status - Inactive

Gives DHS authority to develop strategy for addressing education information to consumers and health care providers regarding heart health risks for women.

#### **Birth Control/Contraception**

[AB 21 - Levine](#) Status - Inactive

Allows a pharmacist to decline to dispense a drug on ethical, moral or religious grounds.

[SB 644 – Ortiz](#) Status – Chaptered, signed by Governor

Includes a requirement that a health care licentiate dispense drugs and devices pursuant to a lawful prescription except in specified circumstances, including on ethical, moral or religious grounds.

#### **Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault**

[AB 429 - Chu](#) Status – Chaptered, signed by Governor

Temporary restraining orders (TROs) with respect to workplace violence shall be served on defendant regardless of whether the defendant has been taken into custody.

[AB 1712 - Hancock](#) Status – Chaptered, signed by Governor

Authorizes increase in fees charged for copies of marriage, birth and death certificates within the City of Berkley and deposits fees into a special fund to be used for oversight and coordination of domestic violence and family violence prevention, intervention and prosecution efforts.

[AB 190 – Negrete/McLeod](#) Status – Chaptered, signed by Governor

Establishes the Sexual Violence Victim Service fund and allows taxpayers to designate a donation to the fund on their tax returns.

[AB 506 - Montanez](#) Status - Inactive

Establishes teen dating violence prevention program. Requires each school district to establish a policy and protocol for dealing with teen dating violence in middle and high schools.

**SB 1062 - Bowen** Status - Inactive

When local agencies receive funding from both the statewide comprehensive DV program and MCH, the state agencies shall coordinate agency site visits and share performance assessment data to reduce administrative costs.

**AB 217 – Vargas** Status – Chaptered, signed by Governor

Requires officials releasing registered sex offenders to a long term health care facility to notify facility in writing of the registered sex offender status.

### **Human Trafficking**

**AB 22 – Lieber** Status – Chaptered, signed by Governor

Authorizes the inclusion to existing Civil and Evidence Code the crimes of slavery and involuntary servitude within new provisions pertaining to human trafficking.

**SB 180 – Kuehl** Status – Chaptered, signed by Governor

Adds victims of human trafficking to the types of victims who would be served by the hospital-based training center for medical evidentiary examinations.

**SB 751 - Morrow** Status - Inactive

Establishes as a circumstance enhancing the sentence for certain felonies engaging in human trafficking.

### **Maternal, Child & Adolescent Health**

#### **Nursing**

**AB 761 - Jones** Status – Passage Refused

Requires DHS to consider worker injury rates and patient injury rates when determining staffing ratios for licenses nurses.

**SB 869 – Bowen** Status – Vetoed by Governor

Establish Nurse-Family Partnerships as a voluntary nurse home visiting grant program for expectant first-time mothers, their children and their families. DHS to make grants to eligible participating counties to provide voluntary registered nurse home visiting services.

#### **Reproductive Health**

**SB 615 – Figueroa** Status – Chaptered, signed by Governor

Cervical Cancer Community Awareness Campaign, extends the cervical cancer awareness campaign to include HPV and provider education.

**SCR 61 – Ortiz** Status – Chaptered, signed by Governor

Provides that the California Legislature recognizes September 2005 as Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month. Encourages and promotes the efforts of the people and the health care practitioners of the state to increase their awareness of this disease and to educate themselves about its early detection and prevention, the

risk factors involved in its development, and the early warning symptoms and signs.

**AB 525 – Chu**      Status - Inactive

Provides that individuals eligible for Family PACT waiver program benefits shall be eligible for additional pregnancy-related care and cancer screening and treatment that threaten reproductive capability.

**Stem Cell**

**SB 18 – Ortiz**      Status – Vetoed by Governor

Stem Cell Research and Cures Act, establishes institutes to award grants and loans for stem cell research and other vital research opportunities to realize therapies, protocols and medical procedures that will cure or mitigate diseases and injuries. Prohibits human embryos from being acquired, sold for medical research or development of medical therapies, and would prohibit payment in excess of the amount of reimbursement of expenses to be made to any research subject to encourage her to produce human oocytes for the purposes of medical research.

**SB 340 – Battin**      Status - Inactive

Stem Cell Research and Cures Act, establishes institutes to award grants and loans for stem cell research and other vital research opportunities to realize therapies, protocols and medical procedures that will cure or mitigate diseases and injuries. Establishes guidelines for the deposit of revenues generated as a result of stem cell research products, patents, royalties and licenses into the state General Fund.

**Women in Prison**

**AB 478 – Lieber**      Status - Enrolled, to Governor

Requires community treatment program for female inmates to include prenatal care, access to vitamins, education and infant care. Establishment of minimal standards of care for prenatal inmates.